

Our Problem

Physical abuse. Sexual abuse.
Emotional abuse. Medical neglect.

preventing *damage*

Child abuse is an ugly thought that is, for many children in this country, a horrible fact of life. In the year 2000, states reported 879,000 children were victims of child abuse and neglect, and 1,200 children died as a result of maltreatment. And several studies suggest that even more children suffer from abuse or neglect than are seen through official statistics from State child protection service agencies. Addressing the magnitude of this problem and working to diminish it is what the National Alliance of Children's Trust and Prevention Funds is all about.

Every year, the number of abused and neglected children grows.



Our Mission

Provide leadership. Network resources.
Give technical assistance. Distribute
information. Create awareness.

Every day, the members of the National Alliance of Children's Trust and Prevention Funds dedicate their widespread efforts to support, develop and fund nationwide programs. We take this mission very seriously. Through the dedication and extraordinary commitment of those working with us on all levels in every member state, NACTPF was able to:

- help train professional child abuse educators;
- provide funding for needed public awareness campaigns and family resource centers;
- assist in parent education and support;
- and teach children essential life skills through our youth programs.

empowering communities

With your support, we are helping to strengthen families and protect children from harm.

Our Activities

Funding prevention programs.
Public education. Public-private
partnerships. Program development.

increasing awareness

We support our member-states in a variety of ways. We help find funding for state programs that assist families and individuals in understanding child development and increasing positive parenting skills. We provide education to the general public on prevention through print and broadcast media, resource libraries, state conferences and public presentations. We engage in public-private partnerships that allow us to solicit corporate support through direct grants, and we develop and facilitate the creation and implementation of innovative community-based programs, as well as evaluate them for their effectiveness.

Our ultimate purpose is to facilitate innovative and creative efforts nationwide in the prevention of child abuse and neglect.

Our Hope

A happy childhood. A healthy
childhood. A safe childhood. A
hopeful childhood.

There is a brighter side to the problem of child abuse and neglect: there is HOPE. NACTPF works for the day when:

- children will no longer be victimized;
- we will no longer be horrified by stories of children starved to death, tortured and sexually abused;
- all children are ensured a happy, healthy and safe childhood.



strengthening families

Every day, with the help of many dedicated individuals in every state, we lead a national effort to end child abuse.

National
ALLIANCE
of **CHILDREN'S**
TRUST and Prevention
Funds

As a national alliance of child abuse prevention organizations, our ultimate purpose is to facilitate innovative and creative initiatives nationwide within our member-states in the prevention of child abuse and neglect. We do this in a variety of ways.

- We help find funding for state programs.
- We provide education to the general public on child abuse prevention through print and broadcast media.
- We develop public-private partnerships that help us solicit support through direct grants, matching funds or in-kind contributions.



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your son.
daughter.
nephew.
niece.
student.
godchild.

our children.

■ **3 million reports of
5 million children
maltreated.**

■ **27.2% of victims are
under 3 years old.**

■ **2,400 children are
victims of child
abuse each day.**